



OFFICE OF UTILITIES REGULATION
Regulating Utilities for the Benefit of All

**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL
2018/ELE/020/RFP.001
CONSULTING SERVICES TO PROVIDE EXPERT ADVICE ON
TARIFF DESIGN FOR
JAMAICA PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY LIMITED**

The Office of Utilities Regulation (OUR) invites proposals from suitably qualified, experienced firms, ("the Consultant") to provide expert advice on Tariff Design for Jamaica Public Service Company Limited.

Bidding for the Consultancy Services will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding procedures and is open to all bidders.

SCOPE OF WORK

The scope of the study comprises the following tasks:

Phase I

1. Review Jamaica's Electricity Sector framework: The Consultant shall review relevant policies, legislation and regulation pertaining to the electricity sector.
2. Review Jamaica's Electricity Market: The Consultant shall carry out an examination of the Jamaican electricity market to understand customer trends, consumption patterns, and the technology available to players in the market.
3. Assess the Performance of the Existing Tariff Structure and Mechanisms: The Consultant is required to conduct an analysis of JPS' existing tariff structure, as well as its fuel and non-fuel rate mechanism, in order to determine the degree to which the principles of cost-reflectivity, supply-side efficiency, demand-side efficiency and equity are being met.
4. Provide an Assessment of Rate Design Options to Incorporate New Trends and Declared Policy Objectives: The Consultant shall review current international rate design trends that may address the developments in the Jamaican energy sector.
5. Recommend an appropriate Package of Tariff Designs for Jamaica and provide advice on Implementation Plan for the proposed new Tariff Structure.
6. Conduct a workshop on the recommended new elements to be incorporated in the Tariff Structure.

Phase II

7. Provide Technical and Logistic Support for the Implementation of new Tariff features: The Consultant shall be required to work with an OUR team to accurately and efficiently roll out new features of the Tariff Structure during the 2019 Rate Review.

Full details on the scope of work are outlined in the Terms of Reference included in the Request for Proposal (RFP) document.

ELIGIBILITY

- Interested local firms must submit a valid Tax Compliance Certificate ("TCC") or Tax Compliance Letter ("TCL") issued by the Jamaican tax authorities with their Technical Proposal.
- Foreign firms, while not required to be in possession of the TCC/TCL at the time of submission, must provide a valid TCC/TCL at the time of contract signing.

Failure to adhere to these eligibility requirements will result in the disqualification of the bid. Consultants will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the Government of Jamaica Procurement Guidelines as stated in the Handbook for Public Sector Procurement (March 2014). The invitation is open to all eligible consultants as defined in the policies. The Handbook can be found at www.mof.gov.jm.

COLLECTION OF REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

The Request for Proposal document may be accessed on the OUR's website www.our.org.jm or collected at the reception desk at the OUR's office at the address below as of 2018 October 22 between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Eastern Standard Time (EST) on weekdays only. There is no charge for the document.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF PROPOSALS

The deadline for submission of Proposals is 11:00 a.m. Eastern Standard Time (EST) on 2018 December 5. Sealed submissions are to be placed in the Tender Box located in the lobby at the OUR's Office at the address below and clearly marked:

"CONSULTING SERVICES EXPERT ADVICE ON TARIFF DESIGN FOR JAMAICA PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY LIMITED"

3rd Floor, PCJ Resource Centre, 36 Trafalgar Road, Kingston 10, Jamaica
Tel: (876) 968-6053; Fax: (876) 929-3635 or
Email: ratedesign_procurement@our.org.jm
Website: www.our.org.jm

OPENING OF PROPOSALS

Proposals will be opened publicly at 11:15 a.m. on 2018 December 5 in the OUR's main Conference Room. Bidders or their representatives are invited to attend this opening.

Issued by the Office of Utilities Regulation on 2018 October 20.

REQUEST FOR CURRICULUM VITAE

**ENTERPRISE ARCHITECTURE FOR
MENTORING AND TRAINING SERVICES
CV#2018/E002V**

The Office of the Permanent Secretary of MSET together with the Office of the CIO of the Government of Jamaica seeks proposals from individuals ("the Consultant") to provide Enterprise Architecture Mentoring & Training to assist Information Communications and Technology (ICT) Jamaica.

The Consultant will be required to, amongst other things:

- i. Development of the Enterprise Architecture (EA) governance model
- ii. Creation of the EA Policy
- iii. Review and refine EA Principles
- iv. Identify required EA artefacts and deliverables.

The Technical Expertise required for this post includes, among others:

- a) Bachelor's degree in Computer Science/IT, Management/ Engineering or equivalent working experience
- b) Certifications related to Enterprise Architecture
- c) Ability to build strong relationships relevant to the development of the organisation's profile and business
- d) Five (5) years' experience in Enterprise Architecture.

The details of the engagement are included in the Request for CV document which will be available for download as of **Monday, October 22, 2018** on the website of the Office of the Cabinet (www.cabinet.gov.jm). The closing date for the submission of CV is **Monday, November 12, 2018 at 2:00 p.m.**

Tenders for this procurement will be accepted via the electronic Government Procurement Portal (www.gojep.gov.jm) as well as via email at psmd.proc@cabinet.gov.jm. To obtain the Tender via the Government Procurement Portal, you must first be registered in the portal.

To register as a Consultant on the e-GP System, Select the link, Register as a Supplier from the Home page. System User Manual can also be accessed by selecting the User Manual option.

For assistance in registration or to receive training, please contact the support desk at: 876-932-5220 or select the Contact us link from the Home page to send an email.

Individuals seeking clarification may contact the Procurement Officer at email address psmd.proc@cabinet.gov.jm, or fax 876-960-6443.

Late submissions will not be accepted.



INVITATION FOR BIDS

Institution: Inter-American Development Bank (IDB)
Country: JAMAICA
Project Name: Implementation of the National Identification System (NIDS) for Economic Growth
Sector: Government/Information & Communications Technology
Abstract: The loan will be used to finance goods, works, consulting and non-consulting services related to the operationalization and adoption of the National Identification System.
Loan #: 4437/OC-JA
Contract/Bid#: NIDS/TS2017/eGovCONSULT11/Q2/10
Deadline: October 30, 2018

The **Office of the Prime Minister (OPM), acting on behalf of the Government of Jamaica**, has received financing in the amount equivalent to US\$68,000,000.00 from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB), towards the cost of the Implementing the National Identification System (NIDS) for Economic Growth, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

The consulting services ("the Services") include providing Windows Server 2016 Training with emphasis on:

- Installation, Storage & Computer with Windows Server 2016;
- Networking with Windows Server 2016;
- Identity with Windows Server 2016.

Interested Firm's instructors who will be conducting the training must be Microsoft Certified in the course(s) being offered with a minimum of two (2) years teaching experience. Instructors must speak Standard English fluently.

The **OPM** now invites eligible consulting firms ("Consultants") to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide training plan, a valid Tax Compliance Certificate or Letter and other information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services.

Consultants will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the Inter-American Development Bank: *Policies for the Selection and Contracting of Consultants financed by the Inter-American Development Bank* GN-2350-9 and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the policies.

Consultants may associate with other firms in the form of a joint venture or a sub-consultancy to enhance their qualifications. For the purpose of establishing the shortlist, the nationality of a firm is that of the country in which it is legally incorporated or constituted and in the case of Joint Venture, the nationality of the firm appointed to represent it.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the **Selection Based on the Consultants' Qualifications (CQS)** method set out in the Consultant Policies.

Consultants shall request Terms of Reference for further details on the scope of services and Expression of Interest Submission Document from egovprocurement@nids.gov.jm.

Expressions of interest must be made via email only **NO LATER THAN October 30, 2018**. Email confirmation will be sent to submissions received prior to the deadline.

Email: egovprocurement@nids.gov.jm



Government of Jamaica

Ministry of Economic Growth and Job Creation



NATIONAL WORKS AGENCY

Invitation for Tender

The National Works Agency invites eligible contractors to submit tenders for **Road Rehabilitation Works for Somerton to Virgin Valley** located in the parish of, St. James. The works consist of bushing & trimming of banks, drain cleaning, drainage improvement works and road rehabilitation works.

Eligibility: It is mandatory that contractors be on the National Contracts Commission (NCC) List of Registered Contractors at the specified level in any of the following categories for their tenders to be eligible: Grades 1 or 2 in the Civil Engineering Works or General Road Works Categories.

Availability: Tender Documents will be made available as of **Monday, October 22, 2018**, at the National Works Agency, Corporate Office, 140 Maxfield Avenue, Kingston 10 in the Directorate of Regional Implementation & Special Projects.

Fee: A non-refundable payment of J\$3,000 in cash or Managers' Cheque, payable to the Chief Executive Officer, National Works Agency, is required for each set of Tender Documents.

The closing date for the return of Tenders is **11:00 a.m on Monday, November 5, 2018** and Tenders will be opened **on the same day at 11:15 a.m.** Please log on to www.nwa.gov.jm OR contact **Moir Williamson, Major Projects Manager (Acting)** at 1-876-733-4069 / email: moirawilliamson@nwa.gov.jm for further details.